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Reply brief filed on April 08, 2010 is acknowledged. The Examiner responded to arguments to the 112, second paragraph rejection in the Examiner Answer mailed December 09, 2009 (see pp. 11-13 and pp. 16-17 of Examiner Answer mailed December 09, 2009). The reply brief is put on record for the Board of Appeals to review.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Julie Ha whose telephone number is (571) 272-5982. The examiner can normally be reached on 5:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Cecilia Tsang, can be reached on (571) 272-0562. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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